

Appl. No.: 09/909,025

Docket No. EMC-011PUS



REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the amendments set forth above and the remarks below. This Amendment is filed as part of an RCE application responsive to a Final Office Action mailed on February 12, 2004.

Claims 1-3, 5-24, 34 and 36-46 are herein cancelled without prejudice and new claims 47-63 are herein added.

The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned to discuss any matter in furtherance of the present application.

Applicant does not acquiesce to any assertion made by the Examiner. Applicant files this RCE and Amendment to expedite allowance of the present application.

Authorization to charge Daly, Crowley & Mofford, LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0845 for any excess fees due or credit any overpayment is hereby given.

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Respectfully submitted

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